

# AGENDA

## Mental Health Workforce Workgroup

**March 28, 2013**

**TIME: 10:00 a.m. –12:00 p.m.**

**LOCATION: State Hygienic Lab  
DMAAC campus, Ankeny**

**Attendees:** Attendee List Sign In Sheet

**Attachments:** At the links below -

[http://www.dhs.state.ia.us/Partners/Partners\\_Providers/MentalHealthRedesign/MHDS\\_WorkforceDevelopment.html](http://www.dhs.state.ia.us/Partners/Partners_Providers/MentalHealthRedesign/MHDS_WorkforceDevelopment.html)

<http://www.idph.state.ia.us/MentalHealthWorkforce/>

**Legislative Charge:** Excerpt from SF 2315, Section 24: "... assuring that an adequate workforce is available in the state to provide mental health and disability services."

Excerpt from 641-155.1: (IDPH SA Licensure Standards) "Services are provided by an interdisciplinary staff of nurses, counselors, social workers, addictions specialists and other healthcare professionals and technical personnel, under the direction of licensed physicians."

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**10:00 p.m. – 10:10  
a.m.**

**Welcome & Introductions**

Welcome -- *Director Miller-Meeks*

Room 207-208 State  
Hygienic Lab,  
DMAAC Campus

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**10:10 p.m. – 10:45  
a.m.**

**Provider Profile: Disability Services**

Shelly Chandler  
Ben Woodworth

DHS

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**11:45 a.m.**

**Strategy Discussion # 1**

What recommendations do we want to make to the Iowa Legislature in compliance with our charge and to improve mental health and disabilities workforce in service to Iowans?

Director Miller-Meeks

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**12:00p.m.**

**Adjourn**

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**Additional Instructions:**

State Hygienic Laboratory is on the west edge of DMAAC Community College Campus off Ankeny Blvd. in Ankeny. We will be in rooms 207-208 which are right across the hall from the entrance door.

Travel Directions:

- From I-35 take the 2<sup>nd</sup> Ankeny exit (the Community College Exit) and turn west. Drive west through Ankeny Blvd intersection and on to the DMAAC entrance which will be on your right. Follow the road to

your left as it curves and watch the signs for the State Hygienic Lab. Take the road on the left into the parking lot and walk to the west most building exit in the middle of the building.

**Acronyms Dictionary:**

ARNP = Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner – A licensed RN with advanced credentialing usually in a specialty practice.

CPC = Central Point Coordinator – DHS term for county coordinators

CMI or SPMI = Chronically Mentally Ill – a DHS classification for a class of intellectual or mental disabilities that are ongoing and persistent requiring disease management

HPSA = Health Professional Shortage Area; a geographically designated region with professional to population ratio below a federally set standard for those services.

MHDS = Mental Health and Disability Services

NHSC = National Health Service Corps; a program making school loan payments in return for services in an approved HPSA.

SLRP = State Loan Repayment Program; state appropriations for school debt payments in return for professional services in state HPSAs.

**Website:**

Prior to each meeting the agenda and reading materials and any articles will be posted at the following website:  
[http://www.dhs.state.ia.us/Partners/Partners\\_Providers/MentalHealthRedesign/MHDS\\_WorkforceDevelopment.html](http://www.dhs.state.ia.us/Partners/Partners_Providers/MentalHealthRedesign/MHDS_WorkforceDevelopment.html)

Following the meeting the minutes and any meeting work product will be posted at the same site.